OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, SIRA.

Notification No. H.C. 4—56-57, dated 9th April 1956.

In supersession of all the bye-laws and rules in force, under clause (*b*) of section 62 of the Town Municipalities Act 1951, notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of the Municipality of Sira Town, that the Municipal Council desires to impose the tax, rate toll, octroi or cess defined in the rules appended, as resolved at their meeting held on 27th September 1952.

Any inhabitant of the Municipality objecting to the proposed tax may, within one month from the date of this notice, send his objections in writing to the Municipal Council.

Objections received after the due date will not be considered.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 48 (1) (b) (iv) of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951 (Mysore with Act No. XXII of 1951), and in conformity to Government Notification No. L. 14136-Ml. 22-51-21, dated 29th February 1952, the Town Municipal Council, Sira, is pleased to make the following Bye-laws for regulating, licensing and inspection of places used as hotels, restaurants, eating houses, coffee houses, sweetmeat shops, bakeries, boarding or lodging houses or for manufacturing ice or aerated waters.

BYE-LAWS.

1 In these Bye-Laws, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context :—

(*a*) "Hotel" means any eating house or place where cooked rice, mutton, beef, poultry, vegetables, dhall and confectionery or refreshment including chapaties, rice, cakes, tea, coffee or similar articles of foor or drink are prepared and sold for price to boarders, travellers or other persons ;

(*b*) "restaurant" or "tea-shop" or "Coffee house" means any building or part of a building where milk, coffee, tea, cocoa, and other drinks or prepared articles of food are kept for sale and includes a "Milk Bar";

(*c*) "Bakery" or "sweet-meat shop" means any building or part of building where bread, biscuits, cakes, confectionery and sweets or any other kind of eatables are locally manufactured or kept for sale but does not include a place of business where packed or tinned sweet biscuits or similar articles are kept and sold ;

(*d*) "boarding or lodging house" means any place where visitors are received and provided with accommodation with or without food, on payment ;

(*e*) "ice or aerated water factory" means any place where ice or aerated waters, sharbaths or any other cool drinks are either manufactured or are sold ;

(*f*) Licensee" means the proprietor or any person in charge of any of the kinds of business specified in clause (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), or (*e*).

(*g*) "Licensing authority" means the Executive Officer of the Municipality and where there is no Executive Officer, the President of the Municipal Council.

2 No place shall be used as a Hotel, restaurant, eating house, boarding or lodging house, coffee house, sweetmeat shop or bakery for manufacturing ice or aerated waters without previously obtaining a License therefor from the Municipality, on payment of the fee prescribed in this behalf.

3 (*a*) Any person using or desiring to use any place for any of the above purposes, shall apply to the President for a License. The licensing authority may grant or refuse such license. When the licensing authority refuses to grant the license, he shall, by order in writing, give reasons therefor and an appeal shall lie to the Municipal Council from such order or refusal.

(*b*) No License shall be granted for a period exceeding one year and every license shall be granted so as to expire with an official year ; provided that a temporary license for a period not exceeding a fortnight may be granted for any special occasion and such license shall expire with the yeriod for which it is granted.

4 (*a*) Except in the case of an application for a temporary license under the proviso to Bye-law No. 3 (*b*) every not less than fifteen days before the date from which the license applied for is to commence.

(*b*) Every such application shall be in the form specified in schedule "A" to these Bye-laws.

5 (*a*) The License granted under Bye-law No. 3 shall not be transferable either as regards the person to whom or the place for which it is granted.

(*b*) It shall be in the form specified in schedule "B".

(*c*) The License shall be affixed in a conspicuous part of the place to which it pertains, along with the correct name and residential address of the License.

6 The licensing authority may suspend or withdraw any license granted under Bye-law No. 3 in respect of any place on grounds of public health or safety or where any of the conditions specified in the license is contravened, provided that such suspension or withdrawal of the license shall not be deemed to exempt the licensee or other person from liability to a prosecution under these Bye-laws and provided further that such suspension or withdrawal shall be made only after an opportunity is given to the licensee to show cause, against such suspension or revocation.

7 Any person committing an infringement of these Bye-laws or any of the conditions attached to a license granted under these Bye-laws shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

8 Every licensee shall be responsible for all acts done by his agents or servants in connection with the business for which the license has been obtained.

9 Every license granted under Bye-law No. 3 shall be subject to the general conditions specified in Bye-law No. 10 and the special conditions specified in Bye-law Nos. 11 to 14 in so far as they are applicable, having regard to the particular purpose for which the license is granted. No license shall be granted in respect of any place which, in the opinion of the Licensing Authority, does not satisfy such conditions or any of them,

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

10 Every license under Bye-law No. 3 shall be granted on, and subject to the following conditions :—

(*a*) The premises in respect of which the license is granted shall be sufficiently spacious and suitable for the purpose of the business intended to be carried on therein and the dimensions of every room therein shall be at least 8′×8′.

(*b*) Each room abutting an open space should have windows of dimension 4″×3′ to secure adequate ventilation andl ighting.

(*c*) Suitable smoke outlets in the form of chimneys shall be provided and maintained in good order so that the smoke may not pervade the dwelling rooms, the dining hall or the portion of the premises where customers are served with food or drink.

(*d*) No cess pools should be permitted on the premises; if sewers exist, they should be properly trapped ; if daily conservable latrines are provided, they should be located within intervening open space of at least 15′ from the living room or rooms intended for cooking, eating or for storage.

(*e*) The premises shall have water connection from the public main, where there is a protected system of water supply and such connection and all fittings thereof shall be kept in proper order and efficient action so as to provide for use on the premises, sufficient supply of water for the purpose of business and for thoroughly washing and cleaning such premises. Only water from this source shall be used for all purposes connected with the business. If water has to be stored it shall be stored only in a metallic tank fitted with a tap and covered at the top with a tight fitting metallic lid and placed four feet above the ground level. In all other cases where the supply of water is drawn from a well, a certificate should be obtained as regards the purity of the said water once a quarter or oftener, if necessary, from the District Health Officer.

(*f*) The walls of the premises shall be rendered impervious to water by cement plastering or otherwise up to a height of four feet from the ground level, and the rest of the said walls should be plastered with chunam and whitewashed half yearly or as often as required, by the

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Plates, cups, saucers, spoons, forks and all other
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an Assistant Surgeon showing that he is free
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typhoid, para typhoid A or B cholera or dysentery. After every serious illness, he must produce a certificate that he is not infectious.

(ii) Every person employed or in connection with such business shall produce a similar certificate at the beginning or every official year on or before the 15th April.

(iii) Every such employee shall subject himself to a medical examination whenever directed to do so in writing by the District Health Officer.

(iv) No person who has failed to comply with any of the above requirements shall be employed or continue to be employed in or in connection with the business.

(*r*) The licensee shall forthwith report to the District Health Officer or Health Inspector any case of dangerous, infectious or contagious disease occurring on the premises.

(*s*) The licensee shall keep in the premises a book which shall be open to inspection by the President, Village Panchayat, the Executive Officer, if any, the District Health Officer, or any other Officer of the Municipality specially authorised in writing by the President to inspect the premises.

(*t*) (i) It shall be competent for the President, Village Panchayat Executive Officer, if any, the District Health Officer, any Health Inspector or other officer authorised in writing in this behalf by the President to enter into any place used for any of the purposes specified in the bye-law No. 1 between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. or at any other time while such place is kept open for business, to inspect the premises provisions, articles of food or drink, all utensils and furniture on the premises and to take samples of any provisions any articles of food or drink manufactured or kept for sale therein. Samples so seized may be subjected to chemical or other examination.

(ii) It shall be competent to the President, the Executive Officer, if any, the District Health Officer or the Health Inspector to remove or cause to be removed forthwith from such place any article of food or drink which in his opinion is stale, unwholesome, offensive or unfit for human consumption, besides prosecuting the licensee for violating the bye-laws.

(iii) Whenever the President or Vice-President, the Executive Officer, if any, or the Health Officer is satisfied on personal inspection or on any report of inspection, he may, instead of recommending the prosecution of the licensee, issue to him in writing such directions as he may deem necessary for securing proper compliance with these bye-laws or in the interest of Public Health and the licensee shall forthwith comply with such directions.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

Place used as Bakery or Sweatmeat-shop.

11. A place used as a bakery or sweetmeat shop shall satisfy the following special conditions in addition to the general conditions specified in the Bye-law No. 10.—

(a) The premises shall contain separate accommodation for kneading, store and vending.

(b) The walls of kneading room shall be plastered with cement to a height of 8 ft. from the ground level. The ceiling of the kneading room shall be plain and free from crevices.

(c) The surface of every kneading table used in the bakery shall be impervious to water, smooth and free from cracks or crevices and shall be kept covered with a clean cloth, when not in use The pedestals of the kneading table shall be of concrete blocks plastered with cement.

(d) Every person engaged in kneading shall wear a clean white apron of linen or cotton so as to cover completely the front part of his body from neck to knee.

(e) No person shall soil the kneading table in any way.

(f) No person shall transport for sale, bread or sweetmeat from one place to another except in a closed vehicle or in a closed basket, tin or other receptacle. Every such vehicle, basket, tin or receptacle shall at all times be kept thoroughly clean and no person shall commit any act which may tend to render any bread or sweetmeet which is being transported, dirty or unwholesome.

Hotels, Restaurants, Eating Houses, Boarding Houses, Tea and Coffee Houses.

12. A place used as a Hotel, restaurant, eating house and coffee house shall satisfy the following special conditions in addition to those specified in Bye-law No. 10 :—

(a) No one shall be allowed to dine in any place other than the dining hall, provided that it shall be permissible for a boarder to dine in his own room.

(b) There shall be sufficient latrine accommodation, every latrine, privy or urinal on the premises shall be kept clean and thoroughly disinfected daily and the night soil shall always be covered with ashes, earth and removed daily. Where facilities are available, flush latrines should, as a rule, be provided.

(c) Wherever arrangements are made on the premises for broadcasting or for the playing of gramophones with or without pick-up and loud-speaker arrangements, care shall be taken to prevent an unreasonable amount of noice being caused in the neighbourhood so as to occasion annoyance or discomfort to the owners or occupiers of the houses in the vicinity.

Place used for the Manufacture of ice.

13. A place used for manufacturing ice shall satisfy the following conditions in addition to those specified in Bey-law No. 10.—The water used for manufacturing ice shall be pure and shall not be carried in massacks or in any other vessels not approved by the President, the Executive Officer if any, or the District Health Officer.

Place used for the manufacturing of Aerated waters.

14. A place used for the manufacture of Aerated waters shall satisfy the following condition in addition to those specified in Bye-law No. 10.—(a) The premises shall contain sufficient and separate accommodation for each of the following, *viz.*, for the cleaning of bottles, for the filteration and storage of water, for the charging of bottles and for store-room.

(b) The water used for the manufacture of areated waters shall be pure and shall not be carried in massacks or in any other vessels not approved by the President or the District Health Officer.

(c) The water used for the manufacture of aerated water shall be filtered and the filtering vessels and materials shall be sterilised at such times and in such manner as the President or the District health Officer may direct.

(d) Syrups shall be prepared only in glass or enamelled vessels and kept in a fly proof case.

(e) No aerated water of any kind shall be issued from the manufactory without having a proper label and mouth piece on each bottle, giving the full name and address of the manufacturer. The mouth of each bottle shall be completely covered with a similar label so as to be dust proof.

TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, SIRA.

SCHEDULE "A"

Form of Application for License.

1 Full name and address of applicant .....
2 Father's name .....
3 Age .....
4 Purpose for which licence is required.— .....
5 The place in respect of which the licence is required,— .....
  1 Division and .....
  2 Street .....
  3 Door No. .....
  4 Other particulars such as boundaries necessary for indentifying the place. .....
6 The name and address of owner of such place. .....
7 The rent of the place or the estimated rental value where the applicant is the owner of the premises. .....
8 Period for which license is required .....

I declare that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Applicant.

SCHEDULE "B".

Form of license issued under the Bye-laws of the Town Municipality, framed under Section 48(1) (b) (iv) of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951.

This license is granted to Sri.....(name and address) for the use of..... .....(Insert description of place.) as a bakery, sweatmeat shop, hotel, restuarant, eating house, boarding or lodging house, coffee house, for manufacturing ice or ærated waters (retain the words indicating the purpose for which the license is granted and strike off the remaining words.)

This license will expire on the 31st of March 19

It is subject to the conditions set forth hereunder and the Bye-laws and rules of the Sira Town Municipality made under the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951.

CONDITIONS.

1 (*a*) The premises in respect of which the license is granted shall be sufficiently spacious and suitable for the purpose of the business intended to be carried on therein and the dimensions of every room therein, shall be at least 8′×8′×8′.

(*b*) Each room abutting on an open space should have windows of dimensions of 4′×3′ to secure adequate ventilation and lighting.

(*c*) Suitable smoke outlets in the form of chimneys shall be provided and maintained in good order so that the smoke may not pervade the dwelling rooms, the dining hall or the portion of the premises where customers are served with food and drink.

(*d*) No cesspools should be permitted on the premises ; if sewers exist they should be properly trapped ; if daily conservable latrines are provided, they should be located with an intervening open space of at least fifteen feet from the living room, or rooms intended for cooking, eating or storage.

(*e*) The premises shall have water connection from the public main and such connection and all fittings thereof shall be kept in proper order and efficient action so as to provide for use on the premises sufficient supply of water for the purpose of the business and for throughly washing and cleaning such premises. Only water from this source shall be used for all purposes connected with the business. If water has to be stored, it shall be stored only in metallic tank fitted with a tap and covered at the top with a tight fitting matallic lid and placed 4 ft. above the ground level. In case there is a well, it should conform to Sanitary Principles and its mouth should be covered and fitted up with a pump.

(*f*) The walls of the premises shall be rendered impervious to water by cement plastering or otherwise up to a height of four feet from the ground level and the rest of the said walls shall be plastered with chunam and white-washed half-yearly or as often as required by the President, provided that in case of a place used as a bakery, sweetmeat shop or for the manufacture of ice or ærated water, the walls shall be rendered impervious to water by means of cement plastering or otherwise up to a height of 8 feet from the ground level. The floor shall be either cemented or paved with Cuddapah slabs with cement pointing and sufficient drainage shall be provided. The roofing shall be plain and rat-proof.

(*g*) The place shall not at any time be used for stabling animals.

(*h*) (i) The licensee shall always keep the premises in a perfectly clean and tidy condition.

(ii) All rubbish shall be swept off and the drains well flushed. A sufficient number of metallic dust bins with a lid at the top shall be kept on the premises and they shall be cleaned at least once a day and oftener if necessary.

(iii) The premises shall be thoroughly washed twice a day and oftener, if necessary. Privies, latrines and urinals shall be disinfected daily.

(iv) All waste water shall be thoroughly drained from the premises.

(*i*) (i) All the the articles of furniture, plates, utensils and accessories pertaining to or used for the purpose of the business for which license is granted shall always be kept perfectly clean.

(ii) Plates, cups, saucers, spoons, forks and all other utensils or accessories used for service shall be thoroughly washed in clean water and sterilised by being immersed in boiling water or in steam for not less than five minutes before being sent out for service again.

(*j*) Every table, bench or board on which refreshments are served shall be provided with a top made of marble, polished stone slab or other non-absorbant material and the top shall be thoroughly cleaned after each service with a clean cloth and if necessary with water.

(*k*) All provisions of materials used for the purpose of the business shall be good and wholesome and adulterated provisions or materials shall be used. Prvisions not required for immediate use shall not be stored in closed bins made of galvanised iron or other metallic receptacle suitabley protected against chemical action which shall be kept on stone benches, fixed 1½" away from the walls and shall not be allowed to lie open on the floor.

(*l*) The licensee shall allow only servants who are dressed with clean clothes to attend on the customers.

(*m*) No foodstuff of any sort which is stale, unwholesome, offensive or in any way unfit for human consumption in the opinion of the District Health Officer, shall be stored, sold or exposed for sale in the premises.

(*n*) (i) Dried fruit, cut slices of fruit, cooked food, and all other articles of food or drink kept ready for human consumption in the premises shall be stored or exposed for sale in such manner as completely to protect them from dust, effluvia, flies or the vermin.

(ii) Such articles when exposed for sale shall be kept in clean vessels or plates made of glass or metal covered with enamel or tin lining placed in glass cases provided if necessary with a fly-proof wire gauze at the top for ventilation.

(iii) No such articles shall be touched by hand and clean spoons or other accessories shall be used for serving them.

(*o*) All papers or leaves used for wrapping articles of food shall be clean and stored in a clean rack or box.

(*p*) No person who is suffering from any contagious, infection or loathsome disease or who is unwashed or otherwise unclean shall be employed by the licensee for the purpose of the business nor shall any such person be allowed to enter or loiter on any part of the premises.

(*q*) (i) No person shall be employed in or in connection with any business carried on in any place licensed under Bye-law No. 2 or for which a license under Bye-law No. 1 is necessary. Unless he produces at the time of his first employment therein a certificate from the District Health Officer or any Medical or Health Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon showing that he is free from any contagious, infectious or loathsome disease. He should not be carrier of intestinal diseases, *viz.*, Typhoid, Paratyphoid A or B, Cholera or Dysentery. After every serious illness, he must produce a certificate that he is not infectious.

(ii) Every person employed in or in connection with such business shall produce similar certificate at the beginning of every official year on or before the 15th April.

(iii) Every such employer shall subject himself to a medical examination whenever directed to do so in writing by the District Health Officer.

(iv) No person who has failed to comply with any of the above requirements shall be employed or continue to be employed in or in connection with the business.

(*r*) The licensee shall forthwith report to the District Health Officer any case of dangerous, infectious or contageous disease, occurring on the premises.

(*s*) The licensee shall keep in the premises a book which shall be open to inspection by the President, the Executive Officer, if any, the Health Officer or any other Officer of the Municipality authorised in writing to inspect the premises.

(*t*) (i) It shall be competent for the President, the Executive Officer, if any, or the District Health Officer or Health Inspector or other officer of the Municipality authorised in writing in his behalf by the President to enter into any place used for any of the purposes specifiey in Bye-law No. 1, between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. or at and other time while such place is kept open for business, to inspect the premises, provisions, articles of food or drink, all utensils and furniture on the premises and to take samples of any provisions, any articles of food or drink manufactured or kept for sale therein. Samples so seized may be subject to chemical or other examination.

(ii) It shall be competent to the President, Executive Officer, if any, District Health Officer or Health Inspector to remove or cause to be removed forthwith from such place any article of food or drink which is in their opinion stale, unwholesome, offensive or unfit for human consumption, besides prosecuting the licensee for violating the Bye-laws.

(iii) Whenever the President or the Executive Officer, if any, or the Health Officer is satisfied on personal inspection or on a report of inspection, he may instead of recommending the prosecution of the Licensee, issue to him in writing such directions as he may been necessary for securing proper compliance with these Bye-laws or in the interest of public health and the licensee shall forthwith comply with such directions.

2. *Place used as Bakery or Sweetmeat shop.*

A place used as Bakery or Sweetmeat shop shall satisfy the following special conditions, in addition to the general conditions specified in Bye-law No. 10.

(*a*) The premises shall contain separate accommodation for kneading, store and vending.

(*b*) The walls of the kneading room shall be plastered with cement to a height of 8 ft. from the ground level. The ceiling of the kneading room shall be plain and free from crevices.

(*c*) The surface of every kneading table used in the bakery shall be impervious to water, be smooth and free fromcracks or crevices and shall be kept covered with a clean cloth when not in use. The pedestals of the kneading table shall be of concrete block plastered with cement.

(*d*) Every person engaged in kneading shall wear a clean white apron of linen or cotton so as to cover completely the front part of his body from neck to knees.

(*e*) No person shall soil the kneading table in any way.

(*f*) No person shall transport for sale, bread or sweetmeat from one place to another except in a closed vehicle or in a closed basket, tin or receptacle which shall at all times be kept thoroughly clean and no person shall commit any act which may tend to render any bread or sweetmeat which is being transported dirty or unwholesome.

3. *Hotels, Restaurants, Eating houses, Boarding houses, Tea and Coffee houses.*

A place used as hotel, restaurant, eating house or coffee house shall satisfy the following special conditions in addition to those specified in Bye-law No. 10:—

(*a*) No one shall be allowed to dine in any place other than the dining hall, provided that it shall be permissible for a boarder to dine in his own room.

(*b*) There shall be sufficient latrine accommodation. Every latrine, privy or urinal on the premises shall be kept clean and thoroughly disinfected daily and the nightsoil shall always be covered with ashes or earth and removed daily. Where facilities are available, flush latrines should as a rule be provided.

(*c*) Whenever arrangements are made on the premises for broadcasting or for the playing of gramophones with or without pick up and loudspeaker arrangements, care shall be taken to prevent any reasonable amount of noise being caused in the neighbourhood so as to occasion annoyance or discomfort to the owners or occupiers of houses in the vicinity.

4. *Place used for manufacture of Ice.*

A place used for manufacturing ice shall satisfy the following condition in addition to those specified in Bye-law No. 10:—

The water used for manufacturing the ice shall be pure and shall not be carried in massacks or in any other vessels not approved by the President or the District Health Officer.

5. *Place used for the manufacture of Aerated water.*

A place used for manufacturing aerated waters shall satisfy the conditions specified in Bye-law No. 10.

Notification dated 9th April 1956.

No. H.C. 4—56-57. In supersession of all the bye-laws and rules in force, under clause (*b*) of Section 62 of the Town Municipalities Act, 1951, notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of the Municipality of Sira Town, that the Municipal Council desires to impose the tax, rate toll, octroi or cess defined in the rules appended, as resolved at their meeting held on 27th September 1952.

Any inhabitant of the Municipality objecting to the proposed tax may within one month from the date of this notice, send his objections in writing to the Municipal Council.

Objections received after the due date will not be considered.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 46 (*z*) (*h*) of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951 (Mysore Act XXII of 1951), and in conformity Government Notification No. L. 14135—Ml. 82-51-20, dated the 29th February 1952, *The Town Municipal Council, Sira*, is pleased to make the following Rules prescribing the fees to be charged for licenses granted for the use of any place as a Hotel, Restaurant, Eating House, Coffee House, or Bakery, Boarding House or Lodging House or Sweetmeat Shop or for the manufacture of ice or aerated waters, the time at which and the mode in which the same shall be levied or payable and for granting refunds, etc.

Rules.

1. For every license granted under the Bye-laws of a Town Municipality for the use of any place as a Hotel, Restaurant, Eating house, Coffee house or Sweetmeat shop, Bakery, Boarding house or Lodging house or the manufacture of Ice or Aerated water, fees shall be charged at the rates specified in the Schedule to these Rules, provided that the Municipal President shall have the power to remit the license fee wholly or partially in the case of a license granted for a special occasion and for a period not exceeding a fortnight.

2. The full license fee shall be paid in advance before the issue of the license; provided that every application for a license shall be accompanied by a fee which according to the applicant is chargeable in respect of the license applied for.

3. (i) In case of any doubt regarding the fee chargeable in respect of any license, the President shall determine the fee after such inquiry and investigation as he may deem necessary.

(ii) The applicant for the license shall furnish the President all such information as he may, by means of written notice, require for the purpose of the aforesaid inquiry and shall produce all such documents in his possession or power as the President may require such inquiry.

4. If the license is refused the fee paid by the applicant for the license shall be refunded, provided a claim for refund is preferred within three months from the date of service of an endorsement refusing the grant of license.

Schedule.

Fees chargeable in respect of every license for the use of *a place* in the Sira Town *Municipality as Hotel*, Restaurant, Eating, Boarding or Lodging house, Coffee house, Sweetmeat shop, Bakery or for the manufacture of Ice or Aerated waters.

Purpose of License.

1. Hotel, Boarding house or Lodging house, Eating house, Tea or Coffee house:—The fee payable per year hall equal to the Municipal Assessment of the premises r portion of the premises wherein the business is carried on, subject to a maximum of Rs. 100 per annum, provided that the amount of fee payable shall not be less than the amount noted against each class as hereunder and the classes to which the Hotel or Restaurant, etc., may belong shall be fixed by the Municipal Council.

	Rs.
Class I	30 0 0
Class II	20 0 0
Class III	10 0 0
2 Bakery or Sweetmeat shop	A maximum of Rs. 5 per annum.
3 Ice or Aerated water manufactory ...	Rs. 10 per annum.

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In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 48 (1) (i) read with Section 66 of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951, (Mysore Act XXII of 1951), and in conformity to Government Order (Notification No. L. 13292—Ml. 82-51-18, dated 19th February 1952). The Town Municipal Council, Sira, is pleased to make the following bye-laws for the numbering and registration of vechicles liable to taxation in the Town Municipality, Sira.

BYE-LAWS.

1. Any person, who is the owner of a carriage, bicycle or tricycle liable to taxation in the Municipality, shall register such carriage, bicycle or tricycle at the Municipal Office within thirty days of these Bye-laws coming into force, or within thirty days of his newly coming into possession of such carriage, bicycle or tricycle. He shall also, when he continues to be in possession of such carriage bicycle or tricycle, renew the registration at the said office either for the half year within thirty days from 1st April or thirty days from 1st October or for a year within thirty days from 1st April each year.

Explanation No. 1: "*Owner*" in these Bye-laws includes the person in charge of possession, for the time being, of the carriage, bicycle or tricycle.

Explanation No. 2: "*Carriage*" means any wheeled vehicle drawn by a horse, bullock or other animal or pushed or pulled by a man, but does not include tricyles constructed for use by children below the age of twelve years and perambulators.

2. The above registration shall be made on payment of the yearly or half-yearly tax on such carriage, bicycle or tricycle, cart pulled on or pushed by man at rates noted below:—

	Rs. a. p.
(i) For every two-wheeled vehicle with springs constructed to be drawn by one or more, horses, or bulls or bullocks	5 0 0
(ii) For every cart or other vehicle without springs:—	
1. Drawn by double bullocks	4 0 0
2. Drawn by single bullock	3 0 0
3. Drawn by horse or horses	3 0 0
4. Carts pulled or pushed by men	2 0 0
(iii) For every bicycle or tricycle	2 8 0

3. A disc bearing the register number shall be issued free of cost, to each carriage, bicycle or tricycle thus registered. In the event of the disc being lost, a duplicate will be issued on payment of a fee of annas eight. In the case of carriage, the number will be painted prominently thereon.

4. No carriage, bicycle or tricycle thus registered shall be used without its number disc being conspicuously attached to it or the number being prominently painted thereon.

5. The Municipal Council has authorised the exeutive Officer, the Municipal Gate Keepers, Paigastas, Octroi Staff or any other Municipal employees authorised by the Executive Officer, to seize and detain the vehicles under Section 66 (1) of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951.

6. The Municipal Council has authorised the President, Vice-President and the Executive Officer to exercise powers and executive functions enumerated in paras 2 to 4 of Section 66 of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951.

7. Any person who contravenes any of the foregoing Bye-laws shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be punishable with a fine which may extend to Rupees fifty.

Notification dated 9th April 1956.

No. H.C. 4—56-57. In supersession of all the bye-laws ıd rules in force, under clause (b) of section 62, of the own Municipalities Act 1951, notice is hereby given to ıe inhabitants of the Municipality of Sira Town, that the Iunicipal Council desires to impose the tax, rate toll, ctroi or cess defined in the rules appended, as resolved at heir meeting held on 27th September 1952.

Any inhabitant of the Municipality objecting to the roposed tax may within one month from the date of this otice, send his objections in writing to the Municipal Council.

Objections received after the due date will not be considered.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 48 (1) (b) (iii) read with Section 181 and Schedule XII of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act, 1951 (Mysore Act XXII of 1951) and in conformity to Government Notification No. L. 14835-M.L. 82-51-26, dated 17th March 1952, the Town Municipal Council. Sira is pleased to make the following bye-laws for regulating the licensing of Shaving and Hair Dressing Saloons within the limits of Sira Town Municipality.

BYE-LAWS.

1. (a) Any person wishing to use any premises as barber shop or hair-dressing saloon within the limits of a Municipality shall apply for a license to the President of the Municipal Council, who may grant the license applied for or require the applicant to effect such improvements as in the President's opinion are necessary, before his application can be considered or may refuse to grant the license if, in his opinion, the premises are unsuitable for the purpose.

(b) Applications shall be made to the President within one month of the commencement of each official year for renewal of all licenses granted under these Bye-laws.

2. No person shall use any premises as a Barber shop or hair-dressing saloon unless they have a floor space of not less than 10′ by 8′ and a height of not less than 10′ with proper lighting and ventilation and unless they are constructed of masonry or of such other materials as may be approved by the President, in consultation with the District Health Officer and every part thereof is constructed of non-inflammable material.

3. Each barber shall dispaly his license in a conspicuous part of his shop so that it may be readily seen by the Public.

4. Every person in charge of such premises shall cause every part of the floor in such premises be paved or otherwise made impervious and such flooring shall at all times be kept in good order and repair. He shall cause every part of the walls of the premises to be lime-washed at least twice in a year in the months of April and October or more often, if so required by the President.

5. All basins for washing and all sinks and washing places on the premises shall be efficiently drained by pipes which shall, if necessary be tapped and connected to the Municipal drain.

6. The floor shall be swept at least three times a day (1) before the commencement of the work, (2) at noon, and (3) at the close of each day's work followed by a wash with a disinfectant solution.

7. All tables and other articles of furniture shall have smooth and even surfaces and shall be washed and cleaned daily and kept free from accumulations of hair, dirt and filthy substances.

8. All hair and sweepings shall be collected at frequent intervals and deposited in moveable sanitary bin made of galvanised iron or other equally suitable and impervious material with a close fitting covering lid and emptied into the Municipal dist bin as often as necessary.

9. Within or adjoining the premises, a washing place with sufficient water shall be provided and any vessel utilised for the storage of water shall be kept scrupulously cleaned and covered with mosquito-proof covers.

10. The premises shall be provided with means for securing a supply of boiled water for the purpose of sterilising implements and washing the appliances in daily use.

11. Razors and other instruments used for a customer shall be rendered safe immediately after such use by being thoroughly cleaned and dipped for at least two minutes in boiling water or in a disinfecting solution as may be approved by the President in consultation with the District Health Officer.

12. Every shaving mug and brush shall be thoroughly rinsed in hot water or other disinfecting solution as may be approved by the President after each occasion they are used during the course of the day. No shaving stick or soap shall be directly applied to the face or shaving.

13. At the end of each day every brush, towel, apron, comb and other implements used in the premises shall be sterilised by being immersed in boiling water or disnfected in such manner as may be approved by the President in consultation with the District Health Officer.

14. Alum or any other similar material used to stop the flow of blood shall be applied in powdered or liquid form only. No person shall use powder puffs, lump alum, sponge or finger bowls in a barber shop or hair-dressing saloon.

15. Utmost cleanliness shall be observed by the barbers in their work. They shall wear clean clothes and wash their hands thoroughly with soap and water after serving each customer. The hands of a barber or operator shall, after the customer is served in addition to being washed with soap and water, be dipped for not less than two minutes in such disinfectant as may be approved by the District Health Officer.

16. No barber who is suffering from an infectious skin disease or any other infectious ailment shall be allowed to attend customers or to be present on the licensed premises.

17. No leper or any other person suffering from any visible skin disease, open-sore, or any loathsome or dangerous disease shall be admitted or be served in such premises.

18. Each shop or saloon shall keep for daily use not less than six Towels and six aprons.

19. Whoever commits a breach of any of the above bye-laws shall, on conviction, be punished with fine which may extend to rupees fifty.

Notification dated 9th April 1956.

No. H.C. 4—56-57. In supersession of all the bye-laws and rules in force, under clause (b) of section 62. of the Town Municipalities Act 1951, notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of the Municipality of Sira Town, that the Municipal Council desires to impose the tax, rate toll, octroi or cess defined in the rules appended, as resolved at their meeting held on 27th September 1952.

Any inhabitant of the Municipality objecting to the proposed tax may within one month from the date of this notice, send his objections in writing to the Municipal Council.

Objections received after the due date will not be considered.

Rules framed by the Town Municipal Council, Sira for the grant of Licences for the use of any place as Shaving of Hair Dressing Saloon within the limits of Sira Town Municipality.

1. A fee of one Rupee shall be paid along with the application for the grant of licence to the person who wishes to use any premises as a Barber shop or Hair Dressing Saloon.

2. The licence is renewable every year and a renewal Fee of one rupee shall be paid for the renewal of the licence for the period commencing from the 1st April of every year.

3. No refund of the fee paid shall be made under any circumstances, provided that when the application for the grant or renewal of a licence is rejected, the fee paid shall be refunded.

S. M. ABDUL JALEEL,
President.